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IN RE APPLICATION OF :
ALAIN BELLO, ET AL. : EXAMINER: ZHENG, LOIS L.
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FOR: HYDROXYSULFATE SURFACE :
TREATMENT

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION AFTER FINAL REJECTION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Final Rejection dated November 18, 2009, Applicants respectfully request reexamination and reconsideration of the application in light of the remarks that follow.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.